

Attachment A-1a

**BELL ATLANTIC/GTE PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS
BELL ATLANTIC STATES**

Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire,
New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Virginia, Vermont, and West Virginia

Schedule A1a – Performance Measurement Categories Subject to Voluntary Payments:

| # | Description | # of Sub-Metrics |
|------|---|------------------------------------|
| PO-1 | OSS Response Time | 18 |
| PO-2 | OSS Availability | 3 |
| OR-1 | Order Confirmation Timeliness | Resale: 7 UNE: 10 Trunks: 1 |
| OR-2 | Reject Timeliness | Resale: 7 UNE: 10 Trunks: 1 |
| OR-5 | % Flow Through/Achieved Flow Through | Resale: 1 UNE: 1 |
| PR-3 | Completed within Specified Number of Days (1-5 Lines) | Resale: 2 UNE: 2 |
| PR-4 | Missed Appointments | Resale: 11 UNE: 16 Trunks: 1 |
| PR-5 | Facility Missed Orders | Resale: 4 UNE: 5 Trunks: 1 |
| PR-6 | Installation Quality | Resale: 2 UNE: 6 |
| PR-9 | Hot Cut Loops | UNE: 1 |
| MR-2 | Trouble Report Rate | Resale: 3 UNE: 9 Trunks: 1 |
| MR-3 | Missed Repair Appointments | Resale: 2 UNE: 8 |
| MR-4 | Trouble Duration Intervals | Resale: 5 UNE: 5 Trunks: 1 |
| MR-5 | Repeat Trouble Reports | Resale: 2 UNE: 5 |
| NP-1 | Percent Final Trunk Group Blockage | 1 |
| NP-2 | Collocation Performance | 6 |
| BI-2 | Timeliness of Carrier Bill | 1 |
| | TOTAL SUB-METRICS | 159 |

Attachment A-1b

BA/GTE PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS GTE STATES

Alabama, California, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan,
Missouri, Nevada, North Carolina, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania,* South Carolina, Texas,
Virginia,* Washington, Wisconsin

Schedule A1b – Performance Measurement Categories Subject to Voluntary Payments:

| # | Description | # of Sub-Metrics |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| PO-1 | OSS Response Time | 7 |
| PO-2 | OSS Availability | 4 |
| OR-1 | Order Confirmation Timeliness | Resale: 6 UNE: 19 Trunks: 1 |
| OR-2 | Reject Timeliness | Resale: 6 UNE: 18 |
| OR-5 | Percent Flow-Through | Resale: 1 UNE: 1 |
| PR-3 | Completed within Specified Number of Days | Resale: 2 UNE: 2 |
| PR-4 | Missed Due Dates | Resale: 5 UNE: 17 Trunks: 2 |
| PR-5 | Facility Missed Orders | Resale: 2 UNE: 6 Trunks: 1 |
| PR-6 | Installation Quality | Resale: 2 UNE: 7 Trunks: 1 |
| PR-9 | Coordinated Conversions | 1 |
| MR-2 | Trouble Report Rate | Resale: 2 UNE: 6 Trunks: 1 |
| MR-3 | Missed Repair Commitments | Resale: 2 UNE: 6 |
| MR-4 | Trouble Duration Intervals | Resale: 4 UNE: 12 Trunks: 2 |
| MR-5 | Repeat Trouble Reports | Resale: 2 UNE: 6 Trunks: 1 |
| NP-1 | Percent Final Trunk Group Blockage | 1 |
| NP-2 | Collocation Performance | 2 |
| BI-2 | Timeliness of Carrier Bill | 1 |
| TOTAL SUB-METRICS | | 159 |

* As lines in GTE Service Areas in Pennsylvania and Virginia are converted pursuant to Paragraph 19f of the Conditions, performance for those lines will be measured using the Performance Measurement Categories and Business Rules that apply to Bell Atlantic Service Areas as specified in Attachments A-1a and A-2a.

Attachment A-2a

**BA/GTE PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT BUSINESS RULES
BELL ATLANTIC STATES**

**Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Massachusetts, Maryland, Maine, New
Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, West Virginia, Virginia
and Vermont**

Pre-Ordering (PO)

Function:

PO-1 Response Time OSS Ordering Interface

Definition:

- **Response Time** – For PO-1-01 through -06, response time is the number of seconds between the issuance of a pre-ordering query and the successful receipt of the requested information in a specific field and screen.
- **Average Response Time** – Average response time is the sum of the response times divided by the number of pre-ordering queries in the report period. It is calculated separately for PO-1-01 through -06. Queries that “time-out” are excluded from the calculation of average response time.
- **Time-out** – A time-out is a query for which the requested information or an error message is not provided within 60 seconds for PO-1-01 through -04, and -06, or within 330 seconds for PO-1-05 Telephone Number Availability & Reservation. Time-outs are set at long intervals to ensure that average response times include long response times but do not include queries that will never complete. (Time outs for TN selection may be reduced to 60 seconds pending state approval as the retail OSS is modified.)

Methodology:

The measurements for PO-1 are derived from simulated pre-ordering queries generated by Bell Atlantic’s simulation system¹¹. These simulations also support the measure of PO-2 OSS Interface Availability. Time-outs that are removed from queues for average response time calculations are included in the PO-2 OSS Interface Availability calculations.

Performance to CLECs is measured through BA’s Gateway and its pre-ordering Operations Support System (OSS). The simulation system replicates the keystrokes of a CLEC representative and measures the response times from when the “enter” key is hit until a response is received back on the display screen after processing.

Performance to BA retail is measured directly to and from BA’s OSS. The simulation system replicates the keystrokes of a BA service representative and measures the response times from when the “enter” key is hit until a response is received back on the display screen after processing by the pre-ordering OSS.

The simulation system uses the same account numbers for the CLEC and BA retail simulations. The simulation system generates simulated CLEC and BA retail queries simultaneously and continuously throughout the day, Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 6 PM, excluding New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. At least ten BA retail simulated queries are generated per hour for each type of query. At least ten CLEC simulated queries are generated per hour for each type of query for each available CLEC interface (currently Web GUI, EDI, CORBA)¹² without regard to CLEC usage of each interface. The total number of simulated queries depends on the average response times.

Each query has a unique name based on time and date. The simulation system robot monitors for a matching response, and identifies successful responses by the file extension names. The file extension varies according to whether the transaction is successful or experiences an error or time-out condition. Successful response for an Address Validation request is identified by a file extension of “.ada.” The file is then read to ensure it starts and ends with the appropriate indicators for a successful transaction.

¹¹ EnView is currently used as the simulation system.

¹² As new CLEC interfaces become available, the simulation system’s simulation process will be expanded to include them as well. If a CLEC interface is retired, the simulations, measurement, and reporting will cease for that interface. The Carrier Guidelines will be modified to reflect any such changes.

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| PO-1 OSS Response Time (continued) | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| Normal exclusions include Saturday, Sunday, and major holidays, as well as hours outside of the normal report period. | | |
| NOTE: If response time aberrations occur due to failures of the simulation system robot itself or the network between the simulation system and the CLEC interface or between the simulation system and the BA OSS, BA will note such failure times and report the data without exclusion in a footnote on the report. | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| EDI & CORBA: Parity with Retail plus not more than 4 seconds. 4-Second difference allows for variations in functionality and additional security requirements of interface. | | |
| WEB GUI: Until April 2001, Parity with retail plus not more than 7 seconds. After April 2001 Parity with retail plus not more than 4 seconds. This allows for differences and improvements in Web technology. | | |
| Formula: | | |
| Σ Response Times from enter key to reply on screen for each transaction / Number of Simulated Transactions for each transaction type. | | |
| Report Dimensions: | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none">BA RetailCLEC Aggregate | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none">State |
| Products | CLEC Aggregate: <ul style="list-style-type: none">WEB GUIEDICORBA | |
| Sub-Metrics – PO-1 Response Time OSS Ordering Interface | | |
| PO-1-01 | Average Response Time – Customer Service Record | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for CSR transactions. | Number of CSR transactions simulated by the Simulation system |
| PO-1-02 | Average Response Time – Due Date Availability | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for Due Date Availability. | Number of Due Date availability transactions simulated by the Simulation system |
| PO-1-03 | Average Response Time – Address Validation | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for Address Validation. | Number of address validation transactions simulated by the Simulation system. |
| PO-1-04 | Average Response Time – Product & Service Availability | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for Product and Service Availability. | Number of Product & Service availability transactions simulated by the Simulation system. |

| Sub-Metrics – (continued) Response Time OSS Ordering Interface | | |
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| PO-1-05 | Average Response Time – Telephone Number Availability & Reservation ¹³ | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for TN Availability/Reservation. | Number of TN Availability/Reservation transactions simulated by the Simulation system |
| PO-1-06 | Average Response Time – Facility Availability (Loop Qualification) | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all response times from enter key to reply on screen for Loop Qualification. | Number of Loop Qualification transactions simulated by the Simulation system. |

¹³ While Address Validation can be completed on a stand-alone basis, TN reservation is always combined with Address Validation. For BA retail representatives this is a required two step process requiring two separate transactions.

Function:**PO-2 OSS Interface Availability****Definition:**

"OSS Interface Availability" measures the time during which the electronic OSS Interface is actually available as a percentage of scheduled availability. Bell Atlantic service representatives and CLEC service representatives obtain pre-ordering information from the same underlying OSS. As a result, if a particular OSS is down, it is equally unavailable to Bell Atlantic employees and to CLEC employees. Any difference in availability, therefore, will be caused by unavailability of the interface.

Scheduled Availability

- Prime Time: 6 AM to 12:00 Midnight EST Monday through Saturday, excluding Holidays
- Non-Prime Time: 12:01 to 5:59 AM EST Monday through Saturday, and Sundays and Holidays

Note: the number of hours of downtime will be noted in the reports under "observations".

Separate measurements will be performed for each of the following: Pre-Ordering EDI, Pre-Ordering Web GUI, and Maintenance Web GUI. The EnView process will be expanded/updated to monitor and report on future OSS processes.

Methodology:

Bell Atlantic will use EnView as a means of monitoring all BA systems, including retail OSS. However, BA will measure reported outages, based on actual reported time frames as well as any outages captured by EnView and not reported by CLECs. Additionally if a BA outage affects only one CLEC, the system availability will be adjusted to reflect that CLEC's outage. For example, if a single CLEC experienced a 3 hour outage, due to a Bell Atlantic problem, system outage would be counted, on a pro-rated basis. In this way, outages that impact a single CLEC, but that do not necessarily show up in EnView will be captured. EnView will be used as an alarm for system availability and to supplement CLEC reported outages. If no CLEC reported an outage, but EnView detected an outage, the EnView outage would be included as if the entire CLEC population experienced the outage.

EnView measurement of availability of the interfaces will be as follows: The mechanized OSS interface availability process is based on the transactions created by the EnView Robots. The program determines whether the transactions are successful or unsuccessful, or that no transactions are issued (not polled). Transactions are processed by transaction type and separately for each interface type and OSS. The hours of the day are divided into 6-minute measurement periods.

If the interface for any Pre-Order transaction type in a 6-minute measurement period has at least one successful transaction, then the interface is considered available. Unavailable time is calculated only when all interface transactions are unsuccessful and at least one of the corresponding OSS transactions is successful. This indicates that the interface was not available while at least one OSS was available. In this case, the 6-minute measurement period is counted as "unavailable". If it is determined that no transactions were issued, then the 6-minute measurement period is excluded from all calculations since this is an indication of an EnView problem and not an EDI problem. Availability is calculated by dividing the total number of 6-minute measurement periods in a 24-hour day (excluding unmeasured 6-minute measurement periods) into the number of periods with no successful transactions for the day and subtracting this from 1 and multiplying by 100. For example, there are potentially 160 6-minute measurement periods in a 16-hour period. If two 6-minute measurement periods lack successful transactions, then availability equals $(1 - (2/160)) \times 100 = 98.75\%$ Availability.

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| Methodology – PO-2 OSS Availability (continued) | | |
| <p>Web GUI: BA will implement, date to be determined, a mechanized means to measure availability of the Web GUI interface. Until mechanized measurement of availability of the Web GUI interface is operational, BA will measure availability of the Web GUI interface based on out of service troubles reported by CLECs. Out of service troubles must be reported by CLECs to BA's designated trouble reporting point. Once mechanized monitoring is in effect, the Web GUI measurement will be identical to EDI.</p> | | |
| <p>Trouble Logs: BA will make available for inspection by the CLEC BA's logs of CLEC reports that the interface is not available.</p> | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| <p>The following exclusions will apply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Troubles reported but not found in BA · Troubles reported by a CLEC that were not reported to BA's designated trouble reporting point. | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| Metric PO-2-02 (Prime Time): ≥ 99.5% | | |
| Formula: | | |
| [(Number of hours scheduled less number of scheduled hours not available) / (Number of hours scheduled)] x 100. | | |
| Report Dimensions: | | |
| Company: · CLEC Aggregate | | Geography: · State |
| Products | · Web GUI (Pre-Order, Order and Repair) · EDI · CORBA | |
| Sub-Metrics: | | |
| PO-2-02 | OSS Interface Availability – Prime Time | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | (Number of Prime Time Hours in Month) - (Number of Prime Time Hours in Month Interface is not available). | Number of Prime Time Hours in Month. |

Ordering (OR)

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| Function: | |
| OR-1 Order Confirmation Timeliness | |
| Definition: | |
| <u>Resale & UNE:</u> <u>Order Confirmation Response Time:</u> The amount of elapsed time (in hours and minutes) between receipt of a valid order request date and time stamp and distribution of a service order confirmation. Orders that are rejected will have the clock re-started upon receipt of a valid order. Partial migrations for less than 10 lines – with accounts that include more than 10 lines that must be rearranged will be treated as 10 lines or greater. <u>Percent of Orders Confirmed On Time:</u> The percentage of orders confirmed within the agreed upon timeframes as specified in the Performance Standards. | |
| <u>Trunks:</u> The amount of time in business days between receipt of a clean ASR (received date restarted for each SUPP) and distribution of a firm order confirmation. Measures service orders completed between the measured dates. | |
| Notes: (1) Rejected Orders – Orders failing “Basic front-end edits” ¹⁴ are not placed on Completed PON Master File. (2) Bell Atlantic includes in the Order confirmation Timeliness measurement CLEC requests for resent confirmations that are submitted electronically as well as resent confirmations due to Bell Atlantic’s error in initial confirmation ¹⁵ . The measurements are based on confirmed orders. (3) If no order confirmations time exists due to a missing order confirmations, BA will use the completion notification time. | |
| Exclusions: | |
| <u>Resale & UNE:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">BA Test Orders¹⁶Weekend and Holiday Hours (Other than Flow-through) – Weekend Hours are from 5:00pm Friday to 8:00am Monday. Holiday Hours are from 5:00pm of the business day preceding the holiday to 8:00am of the first business day following the holiday. These hours are excluded from the elapsed time when calculating the response times for non-flow through requests.SOP scheduled downtime hours (Flow-through). | |
| Report Dimensions | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none">CLEC AggregateCLEC Specific | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none">State |

¹⁴ Basic front-end edits – see Glossary.

¹⁵ Resent confirmations due to CLEC error – such as duplicate PON numbers, or confirmations resent to reschedule a missed provisioning appointment – either due to CLEC, End User or BA reasons are not counted as resent confirmations.

¹⁶ BA-Test Orders – see Glossary.

| Performance Standard: OR-1 Order Confirmation Timeliness | | |
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| 95% On Time According to schedule below: | | |
| Resale: | UNE: | Interconnection Trunks: |
| Electronically Submitted Orders: <i>POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flow-Through Orders: 2 Hours Orders with < 10 Lines: 24 Hours Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours <i>Complex Services (requiring loop qualification)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 wire Digital Services: 72 hours 2 Wire xDSL Services: 72 hours <i>Special Services:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Orders with < 10 Lines: 48 Hours Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours ¹⁷ Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above. | Electronically Submitted Orders: <i>POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flow-Through Orders: 2 Hours Orders with < 10 Lines: 24 Hours Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours <i>Complex Services (requiring loop qualification)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Wire Digital Services: 72 hours 2 Wire xDSL Services: 72 hours <i>Special Services:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Orders with < 10 Lines: 48 Hours Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours ⁴ Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above. | Electronically Submitted Orders: <i>Firm Order Confirmation:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≤ 192 Trunks: 10 Business Days > 192 Trunks: Negotiated Process <i>Design Layout Record:</i> ≤ 192 Trunks: 10 Business Days > 192 Trunks: Negotiated Process Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| OR-1-02 | % On Time LSRC – Flow Through | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex | <i>UNE:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic LSRCs sent where confirmation date and time less submission date and time is less than 2 hours for specified product. | Total number of flow through LSRs confirmed for specified product. |
| OR-1-04 | % On Time LSRC < 10 Lines (Electronic – No Flow Through) | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex 2 Wire Digital Services 2 Wire xDSL Services Specials | <i>UNE:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex 2 Wire Digital Services 2 Wire xDSL Services Specials |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic LSRCs for less than 10 lines, sent where confirmation date and time less submission date and time is less than standard for specified product. | Total number of electronic LSRs for less than 10 lines confirmed for specified product. |
| OR-1-06 | % On Time LSRC ≥ 10 Lines (Electronic) | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-qualified Complex Specials | <i>UNE:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Pre-qualified Complex Specials |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic LSRCs for 10 or more lines, sent where confirmation date and time less submission date and time is less than standard for specified product. | Total number of electronic LSRs for 10 or more lines, confirmed for specified product. |

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Also includes orders requiring facility verification as specified in the interval appendix.

| Sub-Metrics OR-1 Order Confirmation Timeliness (continued) | | |
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| OR-1-12 | % On Time FOC | |
| Products | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CLEC Trunks (\leq 192 Forecasted Trunks) · CLEC Trunks ($>$ 192 and Unforecasted Trunks) | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of orders confirmed within 10 days | Count of orders confirmed (faxed orders) with 192 or less trunks that are not designated projects. |

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| Function: | | |
| OR-2 Reject Timeliness | | |
| Definition: | | |
| <u>Reject Response Time:</u> The amount of elapsed time (in hours and minutes) between receipt of an order request and distribution of a service order reject, both based on date and time stamp. | | |
| <u>Percent of Orders Rejected On Time:</u> The percentage of orders rejected within the agreed-upon timeframes as specified in the Performance Standards. | | |
| Notes: (1) Rejected Orders – Orders failing “Basic front-end edits” ¹⁸ are not placed on Completed PON Master File. (2) Measurements are based on rejected orders. | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA Test Orders • Duplicate Rejects – Rejects issued against a unique PON (PON + Version Number + CLEC Id), identical and subsequent to the first reject. • Weekend and Holiday Hours (Other than Flow-through) – Weekend Hours are from 5:00pm Friday to 8:00am Monday. Holiday Hours are from 5:00pm of the business day preceding the holiday to 8:00am of the first business day following the holiday. These hours are excluded from the elapsed time when calculating the response times for non-flow-through requests. • SOP scheduled downtime hours (Flow-through). | | |
| Report Dimensions : | | |
| Company: • CLEC Aggregate • CLEC Specific | | Geography: • State |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| 95% On Time According to schedule below: | | |
| Resale: | UNE: | Interconnection Trunks: |
| Electronically Submitted Orders: <i>POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flow-Through Orders: 2 Hours • Orders with < 10 Lines: 24 Hours • Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours <i>Complex Services (requiring loop qualification)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 wire Digital Services: 72 hours • 2 Wire xDSL Services: 72 hours <i>Special Services:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orders with < 10 Lines: 48 Hours • Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours ¹⁹ Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above | Electronically Submitted Orders: <i>POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flow-Through Orders: 2 Hours • Orders with < 10 Lines: 24 Hours • Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours <i>Complex Services (requiring loop qualification)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Wire Digital Services: 72 hours • 2 Wire xDSL Services: 72 hours <i>Special Services:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Orders with < 10 Lines: 48 Hours • Orders with ≥ 10 Lines: 72 Hours ¹ Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above. | Electronically Submitted Orders: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ≤ 192 Trunks: 10 Business Days • > 192 Trunks: Negotiated Process Faxed/Mailed Orders: Add 24 Hours to intervals above |

¹⁸ Basic front-end edits – see Glossary.

¹⁹ Also includes orders requiring facility verification as specified in the interval appendix.

| Sub-Metrics – OR-2 Reject Timeliness | | |
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| OR-2-02 | % On Time LSR Reject – Flow Through | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> · POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex | <i>UNE:</i> · POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic rejects sent where reject date and time less submission date and time is less than 2 hours for specified product. | Total number of flow-through LSRs rejected for specified product. |
| OR-2-04 | % On Time LSR Reject < 10 Lines (Electronic – No Flow Through) | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> · POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex · 2 Wire Digital Services · 2 Wire xDSL Services · Specials | <i>UNE:</i> · POTS/Pre-Qualified Complex · 2 Wire Digital Services · 2 Wire xDSL Services · Specials |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic rejects sent where reject date and time less submission date and time is within standard for orders less than 10 lines for specified product. | Total number of LSRs electronically submitted for less than 10 lines rejected for specified product. |
| OR-2-06 | % On Time LSR Reject ≥ 10 Lines (Electronic) | |
| Products | <i>Resale:</i> · POTS/Pre-qualified Complex · Specials | <i>UNE:</i> · POTS/Pre-qualified Complex · Specials |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of electronic rejects sent where reject date and time less submission date and time is within standard for orders 10 or more lines for specified product. | Total number of LSRs electronically submitted for 10 or more lines rejected for specified product. |
| OR-2-12 | % On Time Trunk ASR Reject | |
| Products | Trunks: · CLEC Trunks | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of rejected trunk orders that meet reject trunk standard (10 days). | Count of rejected trunk orders for less than 192 trunks. |

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| Function: | | |
| OR-5 Percent Flow-Through ²⁰ | | |
| Definition: | | |
| <p>Total Flow-Through: The percent of valid orders received through the electronic ordering Gateway and processed directly to the legacy service order processor without manual intervention. These service orders require no action by a BA service representative to type an order into the service order processor. This is also known as “ordering” flow-through.</p> <p>% Flow Through Achieved: % of valid orders received through the electronic ordering Gateway that are designed to flow through and actually flow through, but excluding those orders that do not flow due to CLEC errors or a pending order status.</p> <p>Note: Rejected Orders – Orders failing “Basic front-end edits” ²¹ are not placed on Completed PON Master File.</p> | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA Test Orders • Orders sent via US Mail or Fax • From Achieved Flow Through: Orders not eligible to flow through (i.e., order types that are not designed to flow through); Orders on BA accounts where business rules require manual intervention, such as pending orders, BA blocking, contractual issues such as special touch tone requirements (designed to ensure timely billing completion); and Orders with CLEC input errors, such as typographical errors and failure to abide by specified business rules. [specific error codes to be provided in separate attachment; specific exclusions under development with NYPSC] | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| No Standard Developed for Total Flow-Through ²² . To be developed within 6 months of merger close. | | |
| Report Dimensions | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CLEC Aggregate | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| OR-5-01 | % Flow Through – Total | |
| Products | Resale | UNE |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Sum of all orders that flow through (FLWTHRU-CAND-IND = '1') for specified product. | Total number of LSR/ASR records (orders) for specified product. |

²⁰ While two performance metrics are included for flow through performance, a single metric and standard will be incorporated for performance remedies. The measure will be one of the two provided and the standard finalized 6 months after merger close. Significant development is underway in NY in the development of exclusions for flow through achieved which will enable a recommendation for a metric and standard.

²¹ Basic front-end edits – see Glossary.

²² NY PAP special provisions includes an 80% threshold for total flow through and 95% Achieved.

| Sub-Metrics OR-5 % Flow Through (continued) | | |
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| OR-5-03 | % Flow Through Achieved | |
| Products | Resale | UNE |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of orders that flow through (FLWTHRU-CAND-IND='1') for specified product | Count of flow through eligible orders |

Provisioning (PR)

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| Function: | | | |
| PR-3 Completed within Specified Number of Days (1-5 Lines) | | | |
| Definition: | | | |
| For POTS orders with 5 or fewer lines, the percent of orders completed in five business days, between application and work completion dates. The application date is the date (day 0) that a valid service request is received. | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">· BA Test Orders.· Disconnect Orders.· Orders where customers request a due date that is beyond the standard available appointment interval. (X Appointment Code).· Bell Atlantic Administrative orders. ²³· Orders with invalid intervals (Negative Intervals or intervals over 200 business days – indicative of typographical error).· Additional Segments on orders (parts of a whole order are included in the whole).· Orders that are not complete. (Orders are included in the month that they are complete).· Suspend for non-payment and associated restore orders.· Orders completed late due to any end user or CLEC caused delay.· Coordinated cut-over Unbundled Network Elements such as loops or number portability orders. | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | |
| Parity with BA Retail. | | | |
| See Interval Guide for specific products and services. | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· BA Retail· CLEC Aggregate· CLEC Specific | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· State | |
| Products (For all PR-3) | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS - Total | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS - Total | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS – Platform & Other (UNE Switch & INP) |
| Sub-Metrics | | | |
| PR-3-08 | % Completed in 5 Days (1-5 Lines – No Dispatch) | | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator | |
| | Count of POTS orders with 1 to 5 lines where completion date less application date is 5 or fewer days. | Count of Dispatch POTS orders with 1 to 5 lines. | |
| PR-3-09 | % Completed in 5 Days (1-5 Lines – Dispatch) | | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator | |
| | Count of POTS orders with 1 to 5 lines where completion date less application date is 5 or fewer days. | Count of Dispatch POTS orders with 1 to 5 lines. | |

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BA Administrative Orders – See Glossary

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| Function: | |
| PR-4 Missed Appointments | |
| Definition: | |
| The Percent of Orders completed after the commitment date. | |
| <u>LNP</u> : The percent of orders completed on Time (not early) | |
| <u>Trunks</u> : Includes reciprocal trunks from BA to CLEC. The percentage of <u>trunks</u> completed for which there was a missed appointment. | |
| Exclusions: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA Test Orders • Disconnect Orders • Bell Atlantic Administrative orders ²⁴ • Additional Segments ²⁵ on orders (parts of a whole order are included in the whole) • Orders that are not complete. (Orders are included in the month that they are complete) • Suspend for non-payment and associated restore orders. • For Delay Days: for orders with both a BA miss and a customer/CLEC miss, delay-days attributable to the customer/CLEC are excluded. | |
| Performance Standard: | |
| Parity with BA Retail | |
| Retail Comparison for IOF and EEL is total Retail Specials | |
| LNP: 95% on Time | |
| Retail Comparison for 2 Wire DSL and 2 Wire Digital is POTS Second Lines | |
| Report Dimensions | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA Retail • CLEC Aggregate • CLEC Specific | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State |

²⁴ BA Administrative Orders – See Glossary

²⁵ Segments – See Glossary

| Sub-Metrics – PR-4 Missed Appointments | | | | |
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| PR-4-01 | % Missed Appointment – Bell Atlantic – Total | | | |
| Description | The Percent of Orders completed after the commitment date due to Bell Atlantic reasons. | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Specials· IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· EEL· IOF· Specials | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of Orders where the Order completion date is greater than the order due date due to Company Reasons (CISR_MAC like 'C*') for product group | | Count of Orders Completed for product group. | |
| PR-4-02 | Average Delay Days – Total | | | |
| Description | For orders missed due to Bell Atlantic reasons, the average number of days between committed due date and actual work completion date, attributable to BA. | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· Specials· IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· Specials· EEL· IOF | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Sum of the completion date less due date for orders missed due to company reasons by product group. | | Count of orders missed for company reasons, by product group. | |
| PR-4-04 | % Missed Appointment – Bell Atlantic – Dispatch | | | |
| Description | The Percent of Dispatched Orders completed after the commitment date, due to Bell Atlantic reasons. | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Platform· Loop – New | |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of Dispatched Orders where the Order completion date is greater than the order due date due to Company Reasons (CISR_MAC like 'C*') for product group. | | Count of Dispatched Orders Completed for product group. | |

| Sub-Metrics PR-4 Missed Appointments (continued) | | |
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| PR-4-05 | % Missed Appointment – Bell Atlantic – No Dispatch | |
| Description | The Percent of No-Dispatch Orders completed after the commitment date, due to Bell Atlantic reasons. | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POTS • 2 Wire Digital • 2 Wire xDSL | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POTS • 2 Wire Digital • 2 Wire xDSL UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Platform |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of No Dispatch Orders where the Order completion date is greater than the order due date due to Company Reasons (CISR_MAC like 'C*') for product group. | Count of No Dispatch Orders Completed for product group. |
| PR-4-07 | % On Time Performance – LNP Only | |
| Description | % of all LNP PONs (including the associated retail disconnect orders) where trigger is in place before the frame due date and disconnect is completed after, but on the due date For LNP only orders, the percent of LNP (retail disconnect) orders completed in translation on or after date and time on order. Reported in Aggregate. Orders disconnected early are considered not met. | |
| Products | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LNP | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of LNP orders, where port trigger is completed before frame due time (as scheduled on order) and retail disconnect is completed on or after committed time frame. (manual count) | Count of LNP orders completed. (Manual count) |
| PR-4-10 | % Completed On Time – Complex (DD-2 Test & Serial Number) | |
| Description | % of complex (2 wire digital or 2 wire x DSL services) completed on time with a serial number (index number) provided by CLEC. CLEC did perform test at due date –2. | |
| Products | Retail <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POTS – Residential Second Line | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Wire Digital Svcs. • 2 Wire xDSL Svcs. |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of all orders completed on or before the due date with CLEC acceptance via serial number (and DD-2 test) | Count of all orders completed where the CLEC provided an 800 number and due date –2 test results |

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| Function: | | | | |
| PR-5 Facility Missed Orders | | | | |
| Definition: | | | | |
| % Facility Miss: The Percent of Orders completed after the commitment date, where the cause of the delay is lack of facilities. | | | | |
| % Facility Orders > 30 Days: The percent of orders missed for lack of facilities where the completion date minus the appointment date is greater than 30 calendar days. | | | | |
| Trunks: The percentage of <u>trunks</u> completed after the commitment date, where the cause of the delay is lack of facilities. | | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">· BA Test Orders· Disconnect Orders· Bell Atlantic Administrative orders ²⁶· Additional Segments on orders (parts of a whole order are included in the whole)· Orders that are not complete. (Orders are included in the month that they are complete)· Suspend for non-payment and associated restore orders. | | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | | |
| Parity with BA Retail. | | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· BA Retail· CLEC Aggregate· CLEC Specific | | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | | |
| PR-5-03 | | % Orders Held for Facilities > 60 Days | | |
| Description | | The Percent of Orders completed more than 60 days after the commitment date, due to lack of Bell Atlantic facilities. | | |
| Products | | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· Specials· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· POTS· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Loop· Platform· 2 Wire Digital· 2 Wire xDSL· Specials |
| | | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· CLEC Trunks | | |
| Calculation | | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | | Count of Orders where the completion date less due date is 60 or more days for Company Facility Reasons (CISR_MAC 'CF') for product group | | Count of Orders Completed for product group. |

²⁶ BA Administrative Orders – See Glossary

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| Function: | | | | |
| PR-6 Installation Quality | | | | |
| Definition: | | | | |
| The percent of lines/circuits/trunks installed where a trouble was reported and found in the network within 30 days (and within 7 days for POTS services) of order completion. Includes disposition codes 3 (Drop Wire), 4 (Cable) and 5(Central Office). Disposition Code 5 includes translation troubles closed via STARMEM automatically by CLEC. | | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending) Troubles closed due to customer action. Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble. | | | | |
| Formula: | | | | |
| Installation Troubles (within 7 or 30 days) with Disposition Code 3, 4 and 5 / Lines completed x 100 | | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | | |
| Parity with BA Retail For Found Troubles | | | | |
| For PR-6-02 Loop Hot Cuts: $\leq 2\%$ | | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BA Retail CLEC Aggregate CLEC Specific | | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | | |
| PR-6-01 | % Installation Troubles reported within 30 Days | | | |
| Description | The percent of lines/circuits/trunks installed where a trouble was reported and found in the network within 30 days of order completion. Includes disposition codes 03 (Drop Wire), 04 (Cable) and 05(Central Office). | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specials IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Wire Digital 2 Wire xDSL Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Wire Digital 2 Wire xDSL Specials | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of central office and outside plant loop (disposition code 03, 04 and 05) troubles with installation activity within 30 days of trouble report. | | Total Lines with installation activity within 30 days. | |
| PR-6-02 | % Installation Troubles reported within 7 Days | | | |
| Description | The percent of lines/circuits/trunks installed where a trouble was reported and found in the network within 7 days of order completion. Includes disposition codes 03 (Drop Wire), 04 (Cable) and 05(Central Office). | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS - Loop - Total POTS - Loop Hot Cut POTS - Platform | |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of central office and outside plant loop (disposition code 03, 04 and 05) troubles with installation activity within 7 days of trouble report. | | Total Lines with installation activity within 30 days. | |

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| Function: | | |
| PR-9 Hot Cut Loops | | |
| Definition: | | |
| A Hot Cut is considered complete when one of the following occurs: | | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. BA performs the hot cut, notifies the CLEC by telephone, and the CLEC accepts the hot cut and issues a serial number (or index number), or 2. BA performs the hot-cut, notifies the CLEC by telephone, but the CLEC does not accept the hot cut, or report a trouble, within one hour of notification and has not specifically requested, within the hour, more time to test; or 3. BA performs the hot cut, attempts to notify the CLEC by telephone but receives no answer and leaves a phone message, and the CLEC does not respond within one hour of the message. | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · BA Test Orders · Bell Atlantic Administrative orders ²⁷ · Additional Segments ²⁸ on orders (parts of a whole order are included in the whole). · Orders that are not complete. (Orders are included in the month that they are complete) | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| Hot Cuts: 95% completed within window. | | |
| Standard for Cut-Over Window: Amount of time from start to completion of physical cut-over of lines: | | |
| 1 to 9 lines: 1 Hour | | |
| 10 to 49 lines: 2 Hours | | |
| 50 to 99 lines: 3 Hours | | |
| 100 to 199 lines: 4 Hours | | |
| 200 plus lines: 8 Hours | | |
| If IDLC is involved – 4 Hour Window (8AM to 12 Noon or 1PM to 5PM) | | |
| Report Dimensions | | |
| Company: | | Geography: |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CLEC Aggregate · CLEC Specific | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · State |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| PR-9-01 | % On Time Performance – Hot Cut | |
| Description | % of all UNE Loop orders completed within cut-over window. Start time specified on LSR. For UNE Loops, includes both Loop only and Loop & number portability. Orders disconnected early are considered not met. | |
| Products | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Loop – Hot Cut (Coordinated Cut-over) | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of hot cut (coordinated loop orders) (With or without number portability) completed within commitment window (as scheduled on order) on due date. | Count of hot cut (coordinated loop orders) completed. |

²⁷ BA Administrative Orders – See Glossary

²⁸ Segments – See Glossary

Maintenance and Repair (MR)

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| Function: | | | | |
| MR-2 Trouble Report Rate | | | | |
| Definition: | | | | |
| <p>Report Rate: Total Initial Customer direct or referred Troubles reported, where the trouble disposition was found to be in the network, per 100 lines/circuits/trunks in service. "Loop" equals Drop Wire plus Outside Plant Loop. Network Trouble means a trouble with a disposition code of 3 (drop-wire), 4 (outside plant loop), or 5 (central office).</p> <p>UNE Loop is defined as 2 wire analog loop</p> | | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">Report rate excludes Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending)Troubles reported on BA official (administrative lines)Troubles closed due to customer action.Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble <p>Excluded from Total and Loop/CO report rates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) troublesTroubles reported but not found (Found OK and Test OK). | | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | | |
| <p>Report Rate:</p> <p>Parity with BA Retail.</p> <p>Trunk Retail Equivalent = IXC FGD. Parity should be assessed in conjunction with MTTR</p> | | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none">BA RetailCLEC AggregateCLEC Specific | | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none">State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | | |
| MR-2-01 | Network Trouble Report Rate | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none">SpecialsIXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Specials | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of All trouble Reports with found network troubles (trbl_cd is FAC or CO) | | Count of Lines or specials or trunks in service | |

| Sub-Metrics – MR-2 Network Trouble Report Rate (continued) | | | |
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| MR-2-02 | Network Trouble Report Rate – Loop | | |
| Products | Retail: · POTS/ Complex | Resale: · POTS/Complex | UNE: · Platform · Loop · 2 Wire Digital Services · 2 Wire xDSL Services |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of all loop trouble reports (Disposition Code of 03 and 04) | | Count of Lines in service |
| MR-2-03 | Network Trouble Report Rate – Central Office | | |
| Products | Retail: · POTS/ Complex | Resale: · POTS/Complex | UNE: · Platform · Loop · 2 Wire Digital Services · 2 Wire xDSL Services |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of all central office trouble Reports (Disposition Code of 05) | | Count of Lines in service |

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| Function: | | | |
| MR-3 Missed Repair Appointments | | | |
| Definition: | | | |
| <p>The Percent of reported Network Troubles not repaired and cleared by the date and time committed. Also referred as % of customer troubles not resolved within estimate. Appointment intervals vary with force availability in the POTS environment. Includes disposition codes 03 (Drop Wire), 04 (Cable) and 05(Central Office). Loop is defined as disposition Codes 03 plus 04 and are always dispatched.</p> | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Missed appointments where the CLEC or end user causes the missed appointment or required access was not available during appointment interval Excludes Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending) Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) troubles Troubles reported but not found (Found OK and Test OK). Troubles closed due to customer action. Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | |
| MR-3-01 and MR-3-02 - Parity with BA Retail. | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | |
| Company: | | Geography: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BA Retail CLEC Aggregate CLEC Specific | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | |
| MR-3-01 | % Missed Repair Appointment – Loop | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/ Complex | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Complex | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Platform Loop 2 Wire Digital 2 Wire xDSL |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of loop troubles where clear time is greater than commitment time (missed appointments for (M=X) for disposition codes 0300-0499). | | Count of Loop Troubles (disposition codes 03 and 04). |
| MR-3-02 | % Missed Repair Appointment – Central Office | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/ Complex | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POTS/Complex | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Platform Loop 2 Wire Digital 2 Wire xDSL |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of central office troubles where clear time is greater than commitment time (missed appointments (M=X) for disposition code 05). | | Count of Central Office Troubles (disposition code 05). |

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| Function: | | | | |
| MR-4 Trouble Duration Intervals | | | | |
| Definition: | | | | |
| <p><u>Mean Time to Repair:</u> (MTTR) For Network Trouble reports, the average duration time from trouble receipt to trouble clearance. Includes disposition codes 03 (Drop Wire), 04 (Cable) and 05(Central Office). For POTS and Complex -type services this is measured on a "running clock" basis. Run clock includes weekends and holidays.</p> <p>For <u>Special Services</u>-type services and interconnection trunks, this is measured on a "stop clock" basis (i.e., the clock is stopped when CLEC testing is occurring, BA is awaiting carrier acceptance, or BA is denied access).</p> <p><u>Out of Service Intervals:</u> The percent of <u>Network Troubles</u> that indicate an out of service condition which was repaired and cleared more than "y" hours after receipt of trouble report. Out of Service (OOS) means that there is no dial tone, the customer cannot call out, or the customer cannot be called. The Out of Service period commences when the trouble is entered into BA's designated trouble reporting interface either directly by the CLEC or by a BA representative upon notification. Includes weekends and holidays. Includes disposition codes 03 (Drop Wire), 04 (Cable) and 05(Central Office). Note: y" equals hours out of service (12 or 24 hours). For Special Services: OOS is defined as troubles where, in the initial contact with the customer it is determined that the circuit is completely out of service and not just intermittent problem (osi = 'y') and that the trouble completion code indicated that a trouble was found within the Bell Atlantic network (trbl_cd is "FAC" or "CO").</p> | | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending) Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) troubles Troubles reported but not found (Found OK and Test OK). Troubles closed due to customer action. Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble | | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | | |
| Parity with BA Retail. | | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BA Retail CLEC Aggregate CLEC Specific | | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | | |
| MR-4-01 | Mean Time To Repair – Total | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specials IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specials | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Sum of Trouble clear date and time less trouble receipt date and time for central office and loop troubles (disposition code 03, 04 and 05 (Specials – excludes stop time)) | | Count of central office and loop troubles (disposition codes 03, 04 and 05.) | |

| Sub-Metrics MR-4 Trouble Duration Intervals (continued) | | | |
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| MR-4-02 | Mean Time To Repair – Loop Trouble | | |
| Products | Retail: · POTS/ Complex | Resale: · POTS/Complex | UNE: · Platform · Loop · 2 Wire Digital · 2 Wire xDSL |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Sum of Trouble clear date and time less trouble receipt date and time for loop troubles (disposition code 03 and 04) | | Count of loop troubles (disposition codes 03 and 04) |
| MR-4-03 | Mean Time To Repair – Central Office Trouble | | |
| Products | Retail: · POTS/ Complex | Resale: · POTS/Complex | UNE: · POTS – Platform · POTS - Loop · 2 Wire Digital · 2 Wire xDSL |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Sum of Trouble clear date and time less trouble receipt date and time for central office troubles (disposition code 05) | | Count of Total central office troubles (disposition codes 05) |
| MR-4-07 | % Out of Service > 12 Hours | | |
| Products | Retail: · IXC FGD Trunks | Trunks: · CLEC Trunks | |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of troubles out of service, where the trouble clear date and time less trouble receipt date and time is greater than 12 hours. | | Count of Out of service troubles (Loop & CO) |
| MR-4-08 | % Out of Service > 24 Hours | | |
| Products | Retail: · POTS/Complex · Specials | Resale: · POTS/Complex · Specials | UNE: · Platform · Loop · 2 Wire Digital · 2 Wire xDSL · Specials |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator |
| | Count of troubles out of service, where the trouble clear date and time less trouble receipt date and time is greater than 24 hours. | | Count of Out of service troubles (Loop & CO). |

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| Function: | | | | |
| MR-5 Repeat Trouble Reports | | | | |
| Definition: | | | | |
| The percent of troubles cleared that have an additional trouble within 30 days for which a network trouble (Disposition Codes 3, 4, or 5) is found. A repeat trouble report is defined as a trouble on the same line/circuit/trunk as a previous trouble report within the last 30 calendar days. Any trouble, regardless of the original disposition code, that repeat as a code 3, 4, or 5 will be classified as a repeat report. | | | | |
| Exclusions: | | | | |
| A report is not scored a repeat where the original reports are: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble | | | | |
| Excluded from the "repeat" reports are: | | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending) • Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) troubles • Troubles reported but not found upon dispatch (Found OK and Test OK). • Troubles closed due to customer action. • Troubles reported by Bell Atlantic employees in the course of performing preventative maintenance, where no customer has reported a trouble | | | | |
| Performance Standard: | | | | |
| Parity with BA Retail. | | | | |
| Report Dimensions | | | | |
| Company: | | | Geography: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA Retail • CLEC Aggregate • CLEC Specific | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | | | |
| MR-5-01 | % Repeat Reports within 30 Days | | | |
| Products | Retail: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POTS/ Complex • Specials • IXC FGD Trunks | Resale: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • POTS/Complex • Specials | UNE: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Platform • Loop • 2 Wire Digital • 2 Wire xDSL • Specials | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CLEC Trunks |
| Calculation | Numerator | | Denominator | |
| | Count of central office and loop troubles that had previous troubles within the last 30 days. (Disposition codes 03/04/05, That Repeated From Disposition codes < 14) | | Total central office and loop Found troubles (Disposition codes 03, 04 and 05) | |

Network Performance (NP)

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| Function: |
| NP-1 Percent Final Trunk Group Blockage |
| Definition: |
| <p>The percent of Final Trunk Groups that exceed blocking design threshold. Monthly trunk blockage studies are based on a time consistent busy hour. The percentage of BA trunk groups exceeding the applicable blocking design threshold will be reported. Data collected in a single study period to monitor trunk group performance is a sample and is subject to statistical variation based upon the number of trunks in the group and the number of valid measurements. With this variation, for any properly engineered trunk group, the measured blocking for a trunk group for a single study may exceed the design-blocking threshold. [Tables specify the blocking threshold (Service Threshold) under which Bell Atlantic operates, above which it is statistically probable that the design blocking standard is not being met and the trunk group requires servicing action. For B.005 design, this is trunk-groups exceeding a threshold of about 2% blocking.]</p> <p>For this measure, BA Retail Trunks are defined as Common Final Trunks carrying Local Traffic between offices. Typical common final trunks are between end offices and access tandems.</p> <p>CLEC Trunks are dedicated final trunks carrying traffic from the BA access tandem to the CLEC.</p> |
| Exclusions: |
| <p>Trunks not included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · IXC Dedicated Trunks · Common Trunks carrying only IXC traffic <p>BA will electronically notify CLECs (operational trunk staffs), of the following situations for blocked trunks. This notification will identify that BA has identified a blocked trunk group and that the trunk group should be excluded from BA performance. Unless the CLEC responds back with documentation that the information on the condition is inaccurate, the trunk group will be excluded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Trunks blocked due to CLEC network failure · Trunks that actually overflow to a final trunk, but are not designated as an overflow trunk · Trunks blocked where CLEC order for augmentation is overdue · Trunks blocked where CLEC has not responded to or has denied BA request for augmentation · Trunks blocked due to other CLEC trunk network rearrangements |
| Performance Standard: |
| <p>Because Common trunks carry both retail and CLEC traffic, there will be parity with Retail on common trunks. For individual trunk groups carrying traffic between BA and CLECs, BA will provide explanation (and action plan if necessary) on individual trunks blocking for two months consecutively. An individual trunk should not be blocked for three consecutive months.</p> <p>End User Standard:</p> <p>602.1(m) Final Trunk Group - The last choice group of common interoffice communications channels for the routing of local, operator and/or toll calls.</p> <p>603.3(g) Percent Final Trunk Group Blockages. This metric is defined as the monthly percentage of blocked calls on any local, toll and local operator final trunk groups and has a performance threshold of 3.0% or less for each final trunk group.</p> <p>603.4(d)(3) For Percent Final Trunk Group Blockages, a Service Inquiry Report shall automatically be filed whenever performance is not at or better than 3.0 percent for three consecutive months.</p> |

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| Report Dimensions – NP-1 Percent Final Trunk Group Blockage | | |
| Company: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CLEC Aggregate · CLEC Specific | | Geography: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · State |
| Products | Trunks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CLEC Trunks | |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| NP-1-04 | Number Final Trunk Groups Exceeding Blocking Standard – 3 Months | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of Final Trunk Groups that Exceed Blocking Threshold, for three consecutive months, exclusive of trunks that block due to CLEC network problems as agreed by CLECs. | Not applicable |

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| Function: | | |
| NP-2 Collocation Performance - | | |
| Definition: | | |
| <p><u>Interval</u>: The average number of business days between order application date and completion or between order application date and response (notification of space availability) date. The application date is the date that a valid service request is received.</p> <p>(For NY Per 914 tariff, (Section 5.5.1(B)(3)) Un-forecasted demand will have the following interval start date:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Forecast Received: 3 months after application date Forecast received 1 month prior to application date: 2 months after application date Forecast received 2 months prior to application date: 1 month after application date Forecast received 3 months prior to application date: On the application date <p>Interval Stops if (stop clock):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For CLEC milestone misses (Milestones are noted in 914 tariff in section 5.1.4(D) and 5.2.2(F) and in glossary. <p>Completions: BA will not be deemed to have completed work on a collocation case until the cage is suitable for use by the CLEC, and the cable assignment information necessary to use the facility has been provided to the CLEC.</p> | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| None | | |
| Formula: | | |
| <p><u>Interval</u>: $\sum (\text{Committed Due Date} - \text{Application Date}) / \text{Number of Cages}$</p> <p><u>% On Time</u>: $\text{Number of Cages completed on Due Date (adjusted for milestone misses)} / \text{Number of Cages completed} \times 100$</p> | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| <p>Physical²⁹:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notification of Space Availability: 8 Days Collocation Interval: 76 Days 95% On Time <p>Virtual:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notification of Space Availability: 14 Days Collocation Interval: 105 Days 95% On Time | | |
| Report Dimensions | | |
| Company: | Geography: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CLEC Aggregate CLEC Specific | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State | |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| NP-2-01 | % On Time Response to Request for Physical Collocation | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of requests for Physical collocation cages where response to request is answered on time. | Count of requests for physical collocation received in period. |

²⁹ Intervals may vary in accordance with state regulations or tariffs.

| Sub-Metrics NP-2 Collocation Performance (continued) | | |
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| NP-2-02 | % On Time Response to Request for Virtual Collocation | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of requests for Virtual collocation arrangements where response to request is answered on time. | Count of requests for virtual collocation received in period. |
| NP-2-05 | % On Time – Physical Collocation | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of Physical collocation arrangements completed on or before due date (including due date extensions resulting from CLEC milestone misses). | Count of physical collocation cages completed. |
| NP-2-06 | % On Time – Virtual Collocation | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Number of virtual collocation arrangements completed on or before due date (including due date extensions resulting from CLEC milestone misses). | Count of virtual collocation arrangements completed. |

Billing Performance (BI)

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| Function: | | |
| BI-2 Timeliness of Carrier Bill | | |
| Definition: | | |
| The percent of carrier bills sent to the carrier, unless the CLEC requests special treatment, within 10 business days of the bill date. The bill date is the end of the billing period for recurring, non-recurring and usage charges. | | |
| Exclusions: | | |
| None | | |
| Formula: | | |
| $(\text{Number of Bills sent within 10 business days} / \text{number of bills sent}) \times 100$ | | |
| Performance Standard: | | |
| 98% in 10 Business Days | | |
| Report Dimensions | | |
| Company: | | Geography: |
| · CLEC Aggregate | | · State |
| · CLEC Specific | | |
| Sub-Metrics | | |
| BI-2-01 | Timeliness of Carrier Bill | |
| Calculation | Numerator | Denominator |
| | Count of carrier bills sent to CLEC ³⁰ within 10 business days of bill date. | Count of Carrier Bills distributed |

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Sent to Carrier, unless other arrangements are made with CLEC

GLOSSARY

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| Application Date | The date that a valid order is received. |
| ASR | Access Service Request |
| BA Administrative Orders | Orders completed by BA for administrative purposes and NOT at the request of a CLEC or end user. These also include administrative orders for BA official lines and LIDT (Left in Dial Tone). [SWO<"NC", "NF"] [CLS<TOV, or CLS_2<TOV] |
| BASIC EDITS | Front-end edits performed by the Gateway prior to order submission. Basic Edits performed against Gateway provided source data include: State Code must be a BA stateI; CLEC Id can not be blank; All Dates and Times must be numeric; Order Type must be '1','2','3','4'; Svc Order Type must be '0', '1' '2'; Flowthru Candidate Ind and Flowthru Indicator must be 'Y' or 'N'; Lines Number must be numeric; Service Order Classification must be '0' or '1'; Confirmation Method must be 'E', 'M' 'W'; Each submission must have a unique key (PON + Ver + CLEC Id + State); Confirmation, Reject and Completion Transactions must have matching Submission record. Any changes to basic edits will be provided via BA Change Control procedures. |
| BFR | Bona Fide Request Process (BFR): See appendix D, Summary of BFR from N.Y. P.S.C. No. 916, Section 16. |

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| Collocation Milestones | <p>(FOR NY) From P.S.C. 914 Tariff, Section 5:</p> <p><u>Physical Collocation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Day 1 – CLEC submits completed application · Day 9 – BA notifies CLEC that request can be accommodated and estimates costs. · Day 14 – CLEC notifies BA of intent to proceed and submits 50% payment as set forth in 5.1.5(b) or provides written agreement agreeing to reimburse BA for all costs incurred should the CLEC withdraw its collocation request · Day 76 – BA and CLEC attend Methods and Procedures meeting and BA turns over the multiplexing node to the CLEC <p>BA and the CLEC shall work cooperatively in meeting these milestones and deliverables as determined in the joint planning process. A preliminary schedule will be developed outlining major milestones. In physical collocation, the CLEC and BA control various interim milestones they must meet to meet the overall intervals. The interval clock will stop, and the final due date will be adjusted accordingly, for each milestone the CLEC misses (day for day).</p> <p>Prior to the CLEC beginning the installation of its equipment, the CLEC must sign the BA work completion notice, indicating acceptance of the multiplexing node construction work and providing BA with a security fee, if required, as set forth in Section 5.5.5. Payment is due within 30 days of bill date. The CLEC may not install any equipment of facilities in the multiplexing node(s) until after the receipt by BA of the BA work completion notice and any applicable security fee.</p> <p><u>Virtual Collocation:</u></p> <p>BA and the CLEC shall work cooperatively to jointly plan the implementation milestones. BA and the CLEC shall work cooperatively in meeting those milestones and deliverables as determined during the joint planning process. A preliminary schedule will be developed outlining major milestones including anticipated delivery dates for the CLEC-provided transmission equipment and for training.</p> |
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| Common Final Trunk Blockage: | Common final trunks carry traffic between BA end offices and the BA access tandem, including local traffic to BA customers as well as CLEC customers. (In rare circumstances, it is possible to have a common final trunk group between two end offices.) The percentage of BA common final trunk groups carrying local traffic, exceeding the applicable blocking design standard (either B.01 or B.005) will be reported. All CLEC trunks are engineered at the B.005 level. In all but the Washington Metropolitan area, local common trunks are engineered at the B.005 level. In the Washington Metropolitan area, common trunks are engineered at the B.01 level. |
| Common Trunks: | <p>(A) <u>High Usage Trunks</u> carry two-way local traffic between two BA end offices. High Usage Common Trunks are designed so that traffic will overflow to final trunk groups. Local trunks are designed such that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will overflow during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic – NY geographies.</p> <p>(B) <u>Final Trunks</u>: (All Bell Atlantic except NY LATA) Final Trunks carry two-way local and long distance IXC traffic between an end office and an access tandem switch. Common Final Trunks are designed so that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will block during the busy hour.</p> <p>(C) <u>Final Trunks - Local</u> (NY LATA 132) Final Trunks carry local two-way traffic between an end office and an access tandem switch. Common Final Trunks are designed so that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will block during the busy hour.</p> <p>(D) <u>Final Trunks – IXC</u> (NY LATA 132 and Washington Metropolitan Calling Area) Final Trunks carry long distance IXC two-way traffic between an end office and an access tandem switch. Common Final Trunks are designed so that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will block during the busy hour.</p> |
| Company Initiated Orders | Provisioning orders processed for administrative purposes and not at customer request. |
| Company Services | Official Bell Atlantic Lines |
| Completion Date | The date noted on the service order as the date that all physical work is completed as ordered. |

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| Coordinated Cut over | A coordinated cut-over is the live manual transfer of a BA end user to a CLEC completed with manual coordination by BA and CLEC technicians to minimize disruptions for the end user customer. Also known as a "hot cut". These all have fixed minimum intervals. |
| CPE | Customer Premises Equipment |
| Cut-Over Window | Amount of time from start to completion of physical cut-over of lines: 1 to 9 lines: 1 Hour 10 to 49 lines: 2 Hours 50 to 99 lines: 3 Hours 100 to 199 lines: 4 Hours 200 plus lines: 8 Hours |
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| Dedicated Final Trunks Blockage: | A dedicated final trunk group does not overflow. Dedicated final trunk groups carry local traffic from a BA Access Tandem to a CLEC switch. All dedicated final trunk groups to the CLECs are engineered at a design-blocking threshold of B.005. |

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| Dedicated Trunks | <p>(E) <u>High Usage Trunks – CLEC Interconnection</u>: carry one-way traffic from a CLEC end office to a Bell Atlantic Tandem Office <u>or</u> carry two-way local traffic between a Bell Atlantic end office and a CLEC end office. High Usage Common Trunks are designed so that traffic will overflow to final trunk groups. Local trunks are designed such that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will overflow during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic geographies. These trunks are ordered by the CLEC.</p> <p>(F) <u>Final Trunks – CLEC Interconnection</u>: carry one-way traffic from a CLEC end office to a Bell Atlantic Tandem Office <u>or</u> carry two-way traffic between and end office and a tandem switch. CLECs order these trunks from BA and engineer to their desired blocking design threshold.</p> <p>(G) <u>High Usage Trunks – BA to CLEC Interconnection</u>: carry one-way local traffic from a Bell Atlantic end office to a CLEC end office. High Usage Common Trunks are designed so that traffic will overflow to final trunk groups. Local trunks are designed such that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will overflow during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic geographies. BA orders these trunks from CLECs.</p> <p>(H) <u>Final Trunks – BA to CLEC Interconnection</u>: carry one-way traffic from a BA end office or a tandem switch. Final Trunks are designed so that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will block during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic geographies. BA orders these trunks from CLECs.</p> <p>(I) <u>High Usage Trunks – IXC Feature Group D</u>: carry two-way traffic between a Bell Atlantic end office and an IXC POP. High Usage Trunks are designed so that traffic will overflow to final trunk groups. IXC trunks are designed such that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will overflow during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic geographies. IXCs order these trunks from BA.</p> <p>(J) <u>Final Trunks – IXC Feature Group D</u> carry two-way traffic between and end office and a tandem switch. Common Final Trunks are designed so that no more than 0.5% (B.005 standard) of traffic will block during the busy hour in all Bell Atlantic geographies. IXCs order these trunks from BA.</p> |
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| Dispatched Orders: | An order requiring the dispatch of a Bell Atlantic Field technician outside of a Bell Atlantic Central Office. Intervals differ by line size. In all areas, for orders greater than or equal to 10 lines, a facility check is required and the interval negotiated. In many, but not all areas, a facility records check (in Engineering) is also performed for orders with between 6 to 9 lines. |
| Dispatched Troubles: | Loop or Drop Wire Troubles reports found to be in drop wire or outside plant. Disposition codes 03 or 04. |
| Disposition Codes | The code assigned by the field technician upon closure of trouble. This code identifies the plant type/location in the network where the trouble was found. |
| DUF | Daily Usage Feed: |
| FOC | Firm Order Confirmation |
| Front End Close-Out | A trouble report closed with the customer on the line usually within 10 minutes of taking trouble. These include cancellations by the customer or CLEC. Disposition Codes: 0741(RE<10), 0747, 0706(CP=291). |
| LIDT | <u>Left in Dial Tone Orders.</u> These are orders used after a customer has moved out of a residence dwelling and the line has been disconnected for billing – to leave in reserve Office Equipment (OE) assigned to the cable pair in the central office. Once another customer moves back into the location a second order is written to remove the LIDT status to enable the customer order to process. These are not customer requested orders. |
| Loop Qualification | Loop qualification is the manual step whereby it is determined if the loop facility meets or can be made to meet specifications necessary for ISDN services. It must be provided on non-loaded facilities with less than 1300 OHMs of resistance and not more than 6 kft of bridge tap. |
| LSR | Local Service Request |
| LSRC | Local Service Request Confirmation |
| Mechanized Flow-Through: | Orders received electronically through the Gateway and requiring no manual intervention to be entered into the service order processor. |
| Missed Appointment Codes | Bell Atlantic Missed Appointment Codes: CB = Business Office, CC = Common Cause, CE = Equipment, CF = Facility, CL = Load (lack of work forces), CS = Switching/programming, CO = Company Other Customer Missed Appointment Codes: SA = Customer Access, SR = Customer Not Ready, SO = Customer Other, SL = Customer requested later due date |
| Network Troubles | Troubles with a disposition code of 03 (drop), 04 (loop), or 05 (central office). Excludes Subsequent reports (additional customer calls while the trouble is pending), Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) troubles, troubles reported but not found on dispatch (Found OK and Test OK), and troubles closed due to customer action. |

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| Non-Mechanized: | Orders that require some manual processing. Includes orders received electronically that are not processed directly into the legacy provisioning systems, and are manually entered by a BA representative into the BA service order processor. For orders not received electronically (such as faxed or courier orders), 24 hours are added to all intervals. |
| No-Dispatch Troubles: | Troubles reports found to be in central office, including frame wiring and translation troubles. Disposition codes 05. |
| No-Dispatch Orders: | Orders completed without a dispatch outside a Bell Atlantic Central Office. Includes orders with translation changes and dispatches inside a Bell Atlantic Central Office. |
| Orders with ≥ 10 lines: | In some geographic areas, a facility check is completed on orders greater than 5 lines. In all geographic areas, orders with 10 or greater lines require a facility check prior to order confirmation and due date commitment. |
| OSS | Operations Support Systems |
| POTS Services | <u>Plain Old Telephone Services</u> include all non-designed lines/circuits that originate at a customer's premise and terminate on an OE (switch Office Equipment). POTS includes Centrex, Basic ISDN and PBX trunks. |
| PON | <u>Purchase Order Number</u> : Unique purchase order provided by CLEC to BA placed on LSRC or ASR as an identifier of a unique order. |
| Projects | <u>Projects</u> are designated by CLECs. For Trunks, any request for a new trunk group, augment for more than 384 trunks, complex (E911 or DA) or request out of the ordinary requiring special coordination, such as rearrangements is considered a project. |
| Reject | An order is rejected when there are omissions or errors in required information. Rejects also include queries where notification is provided to a CLEC for clarification on submitted orders. The order is considered rejected and order processing is suspended while a request is returned or queried. |
| Run Clock | A measure of duration time where no time is excluded. Duration time is calculated comparing the date and time that a trouble is cleared to the date and time that the trouble was reported. |
| Segment | Segments are parts of whole orders. [NVL SEGMENT, 0=<1] A segment is used to apportion a longer order to meet limitations of record lengths. Similar to a separate page or section on the same order. |
| Special Services | Any service or element involving circuit design. Any service or element with four wires. Any DS0, DS1 and DS3, no access service. Excludes trunks. IOF and EEL are separately reported for provisioning. |

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| Stop Clock | A measure of duration time where some time is excluded. The clock is stopped when testing is occurring, BA is awaiting carrier acceptance, or BA is denied access. |
| Suspend/Restore Orders | Orders completed by BA to suspend for non-payment or restore for payment subject to state commission Collections guidelines. [SNPRES_IND.IS NOT NULL] |
| Test Orders | Orders processed for "fictional" CLECs for BA to test new services, attestation of services etc. Includes the following CLEC AECN's: 'DPC', 'DPCL', 'NYNX', 'ZKPM', 'ZPSC', 'ZTKP', 'ZTPS', 'ZJIM'. |
| Two wire digital ISDN Loop | 2 wire unbundled digital loop (previously called Two Wire Digital Loop) that is compatible with ISDN Basic Rate service. It is capable of supporting simultaneous transmission of 2 B channels and One D channel. It must be provided on non-loaded facilities with less than 1300 OHMs of resistance and not more than 6 kft of bridge tap. This service provides a digital 2-wire enhanced channel. It is equivalent to a 2-wire loop less than 18,000 feet from the NID at the end user's premises to the main distributing frame (which is connected to the CLEC's collocation arrangement), in Bell Atlantic's central office where the end user is served. The 2-wire digital – ISDN BRI loop, currently offered by Bell Atlantic, is designed to support the Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) Basic Rate Service which operates digital signals at 160 kilobytes per second (kbps). The 2-wire digital – ISDN BRI loop is only available to the CLEC for use in conjunction with the provision of local exchange service and exchange access to its end users. |

Product identification descriptions:

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| Retail | Major Customer Name/Number entered on Provisioning order first 4 characters does not contain the values "RSID" which indicates resold or "AECN" which indicates unbundled. |
| Resale | Major Customer Name/Number entered on Provisioning order-first 4 characters does contain the value "RSID" the 6th through 10th indicate reseller id. RSID except test and training RSID orders <u>Ordering:</u> ORDER-TYPE of ORDERING-MASTER-REC = ' 1 ' |
| UNE | Major Customer Name/Number entered on provisioning order- first 4 characters contains the values "AECN" which indicates unbundled. Characters 6 through 10 indicate the Telecommunications carrier id. <u>Ordering:</u> ORDER-TYPE of ORDERING-MASTER-REC = '2' or '3' |

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| POTS - Total | <p>Two wire analog service with a telephone number and POTS class of service. Includes analog loop (SVGAL).</p> <p>Ordering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Service order classification of ordering master rec = 0 <p>Provisioning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Pots Orders are defined as not having a circuit layout (CL_FID IS NULL) or are not for ISDN service (SCM_2 IS NULL) <p>Maintenance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Class Service = 04/05/06/07/08/09/10/13/19/20/21 |
| Complex: | <p>Provisioning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · <u>I</u>SDN Basic Rate: Secondary Service Code Modifier (SCM_2) is not blank · ISDN Primary: Service Code Modifier (SCM) begins with "IB" · 2 Wire Digital Services · 2 Wire xDSL Services |

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| Special Services | <p><u>Special Services</u> ("Specials") are services that require engineering design intervention. These include such services as: high capacity services (DS1 or DS3), Primary rate ISDN, 4 wire xDSL Services, digital services and private lines or foreign served services (a line physically in one exchange, served by another through a circuit).</p> <p>Ordering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Service order classification of ordering master rec = 1 <p>Provisioning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CL_FID is not NULL <p>Maintenance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Criteria for inclusion is Circuit format (cfmt) is 's','t','2','3' as defined by Bellcore standard, report category (rpt_cat) is "CR" indicating a Customer Reported trouble, circuit format does not indicate (fourth character of circuit id for a length of 2) "TK","IB","DI","DO" because these are considered POTS, 7th character of circuit id does not indicate official Bell Atlantic line as defined by Bellcore standard practice, trouble code (trbl_cd) is either "FAC" or "CO" indicating the trouble was found in the Facility-cable (from Central Office to customers location) or in the Central Office (the trouble was found within the Bell Atlantic central office), Maintenance center (MCTR) is not training or blank which excludes troubles entered for employee training purposes, Subsequent calls on the same trouble are not included in these metrics, Troubles are excluded where circuit id (cktid character 4 for a length of 2) indicates access tariff filing. |
| For Trunks: | <p>For Maintenance: Criteria for inclusion is Circuit format (cfmt) is 'M' as defined by Bellcore standard, report category (rpt_cat) is "CR" indicating a Customer Reported trouble, trouble code (trbl_cd) is either "FAC" or "CO" indicating the trouble was found in the Facility-cable (from Central Office to customers location) or in the Central Office (the trouble was found within the Bell Atlantic central office), Maintenance center (MCTR) is not training or blank which excludes troubles entered for employee training purposes, Subsequent calls on the same trouble are not included in these metrics.</p> |